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Preface

Heterocyclic derivatives are important in organic chemistry as products (including natural) and/or useful tools in the construction of more complicated molecular entities. Their utilization in polymeric, medicinal and agricultural chemistry is widely documented. Dyestuff, electronic, and tanning structures, as well as life molecules frequently involve heterocyclic rings that play an important role in several chemical and biochemical processes.

Volume 19 (2015) keeps the international standard of TARGETS IN HETEROCYCLIC SYSTEMS - Chemistry and Properties (THS) series and contains eight chapters, covering the synthesis, reactivity, and activity (including medicinal) of different heterorings. Authors from Austria, Brazil, Italy, Japan, Poland, Slovenia, Spain, and USA are present in this book.

As yet, THS Volumes 1-19 published 248 reviews by 702 authors from 33 different countries for a total of about 7.600 pages.

Comprehensive Reviews reporting the overall state of the art on wide fields as well as personal Accounts highlighting significative advances by research groups dealing with their specific themes have been solicited from leading Authors. The submission of articles having the above-mentioned aims and concerning highly specialistic topics is strongly urged. The publication of Chapters in THS is free of charge. Firstly a brief layout of the contribution proposed, and then the subsequent manuscript, may be forwarded either to a Member of the Editorial Board or to one of the Editors.

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